STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this:

DATE: NOVEMBER 4, 2008

STATE OFFICES

FEDERAL OFFICES

PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

VOTE FOR ONE TEAM

JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN
Republican

BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

CYNTHIA MCKINNEY AND ROSA CLARIENTE
Green

RÓGER CALERO AND ALYSON KENHEDY
Socialist Workers

RALPH NADER AND MATT GONZALEZ
Independent

BOB BARR AND WAYNE A. ROOT
Libertarian

CHUCK BALDWIN AND DARRELL CASTLE
Constitution

U.S. SENATOR

VOTE FOR ONE

DEAN BARKLEY
Independent

NORM COLEMAN
Republican

AL FRANKEN
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

CHARLES ALDRICH
Libertarian

JAMES NIEMACKL
Constitution

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE

DISTRICT 8

VOTE FOR ONE

MICHAEL CUMMINS
Republican

JAMES L. OBERSTAR
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

STATE OFFICES

STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 7B

VOTE FOR ONE

JAY COLE
Republican

ALLAN KEHR
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

ROGER J REINERT
Democratic-Farmer-Labor

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

To vote for a constitutional amendment, completely fill in the oval next to the word "YES" for that question. To vote against a constitutional amendment, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" for that question.

PROPOSED CONFLICT OF INTEREST CHARTER AMENDMENT

Should section 30 of the 1912 home rule charter of the city of Duluth, as amended, be amended to allow a citizen to request that the council appoint special prosecutor to prosecute violations of the charter's conflict of interest provisions when the city attorney has determined that there is no probable cause to do so and to require that the council to decide whether or not to do so within 60 days of receipt of such request?

SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT 4

SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 4

VOTE FOR ONE

DANIEL NOE

DANIEL NOE

MARTIN TAYLOR

CITY QUESTIONS

Written, if any

1. The city council shall continue to use a selective spending policy that allows the city to support charitable efforts; to provide funding to support charitable efforts; and to pro-

2. The city council shall amend the city charter to allow a ceni

3. The city council shall amend the city charter to allow a ci

4. The city council shall amend the city charter to allow a ci

5. The city council shall amend the city charter to allow a ci

COUNTY OFFICES

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 3

VOTE FOR ONE

BILL KHON

CHRISTOPHER "CHRIS" BLUMBERG

write-in, if any

SOUTH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT 1

SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 1

VOTE FOR ONE

HARLEY SANDSTROM

JOANNE EHRHARDT

write-in, if any

write-in, if any

VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT


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NO

YES

A "YES" VOTE IS IN FAVOR OF ADDING A PROCESS REQUIRING THE CITY COUNCIL TO ACT ON CITIZEN COMPLAINTS PERTAINING TO ALLEGED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.

A "NO" VOTE IS IN FAVOR OF ADDING A PROCESS REQUIRING THE CITY COUNCIL TO ACT ON CITIZEN COMPLAINTS PERTAINING TO ALLEGED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.

0280 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 28
0295 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 31
0300 CITY OF DULUTH PRECINCT 32
STATE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
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SCHOOL DISTRICT QUESTIONS
SPECIAL ELECTION
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 709 (DULUTH)
To vote for a question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "YES" for that question. To vote against a question, completely fill in the oval next to the word "NO" for that question.

SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 1
RENEWAL OF ADDITIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION
The existing levy referendum authority for Independent School District No. 709, Duluth, is expiring in 2008. The school board has proposed to renew its existing general education revenue of $321,504 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the renewal of the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 709 be approved?

YES
NO

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING TO EXTEND AN EXISTING PROPERTY TAX REFERENDUM THAT IS SCHEDULED TO EXPIRE.

SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 2
APPROVAL OF ADDITIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION
Provided that ballot question No. 1 is approved, the Board of Independent School District No. 709, Duluth, has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an additional $334.40 per pupil for a total of $375.90 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization of $370 per pupil would increase each year by the rate of inflation and would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 709 be approved?

YES
NO

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.

SCHOOL DISTRICT BALLOT QUESTION 3
APPROVAL OF ADDITIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION
Provided that ballot questions No. 1 and 2 are approved, the Board of Independent School District No. 709, Duluth, has proposed to increase its general education revenue by an additional $500.00 per pupil for a total of $1,200.00 per pupil. The proposed referendum revenue authorization of $500.00 per pupil would increase each year by the rate of inflation and would be applicable for five years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law. Shall the increase in the referendum revenue authorization proposed by the Board of Independent School District No. 709 be approved?

YES
NO

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.

JUDICIAL OFFICES
SUPREME COURT
ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 3
VOTE FOR ONE
PAUL H. ANDERSON
Incumbent
TIM TINGELSTAD
write-in, if any

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE 4
VOTE FOR ONE
LORE SCERVIN GILDEA
Incumbent
DEBORAH HEDLUND
write-in, if any

COURT OF APPEALS
JUDGE 16
VOTE FOR ONE
DAN GRIFFITH
TERRI J. STONEBURNER
Incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 7
VOTE FOR ONE
GARY J. PAGLIACCIETTI
Incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 12
VOTE FOR ONE
SALLY L. TARNOWSKI
Incumbent
write-in, if any

JUDGE 15
VOTE FOR ONE
DALE A. WOLFF
Incumbent
write-in, if any

VOTE FRONT AND BACK OF BALLOT